



UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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May 30, 2014

Mr. Frank Zingales  
Ohio EPA  
2110 East Aurora Rd.  
Twinsburg, OH 44087

Dear Mr. Zingales;

This letter requests that the Ohio EPA identify all applicable, relevant, and appropriate requirements (ARARs) for a proposed time-critical removal action to take place at the Russell Stewart Drums Site located at 11746 Kile Road, Claridon Township, Geauga County, Ohio, 44033. Any State ARARs identified in a timely manner for this removal action will be complied with to the extent practicable.

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has proposed to fund a time-critical removal action to address hazardous substances found at the site as documented by the Ohio EPA investigations.

If upon approval of an Action Memorandum and the Responsible Parties have not taken appropriate actions to address the hazardous wastes on site or are unable to complete the cleanup of the hazardous substances present at the Site, EPA plans to characterize and take appropriate response actions to properly address hazardous substances that pose a potential for off-site release.

Federal ARARs for this site primarily include the CERCLA and RCRA. Wastes will be transported to and disposed of at a permitted treatment, storage, and disposal facility pursuant to the EPA Off-Site Rule.

If you have any questions regarding this request please do not hesitate in contacting me (440) 250-1742.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James E. Augustyn", is positioned above the typed name and title.

James E. Augustyn  
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